

## What We Do

*Purchase and deliver* processed commodities under domestic distribution programs such as the National School Lunch, Commodity Supplemental Food, Food Distribution on Indian Reservations, and Disaster Assistance Programs.

*Purchase and deliver* commodities to foreign countries under Titles II and III of Public Law 480, Food for Progress and Section 416(b) of the Agricultural Act of 1949 and, McGovern-Dole Food for Education Act, through private voluntary organizations, World Food Program, and government-to-government transfers.

*Purchase* from vendors or processors Milk Price Support program commodities such as butter, cheese, and nonfat dry milk from vendors or processors.

*Acquire and dispose* of commodities pledged as collateral for marketing assistance loans such as wheat, corn, soybeans, oilseeds, cotton, peanuts, and other commodities.

*Establish* Posted County Prices for locations throughout the U.S. to develop loan rates, loan deficiency payments, and market assistance loan repayments.

*Market, manage, and regularly analyze the location, condition and quantity* of CCC inventories such as cotton, grain, oilseeds, peanuts, nonfat dry milk, and rice.

*Administer the CCC Storage Agreements* for Grain and Rice, Cotton, Processed Commodities, Sugar, and Peanuts.

*Administer* the U.S. Warehouse Act and perform warehouse examinations and audits in support of USWA and CCC programs.

*Prepare claims and adjudicate* debts by and against CCC resulting from export and domestic transportation and warehouse losses.

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## Commodity Operations FY 2005

### Program Mission:

- Support domestic farm commodity programs through accurate price discovery of program crops and effectively manage Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC) interests and commodities.
- Administer the U.S. Warehouse Act.
- Provide expertise in the development and delivery of safe and nutritious food assistance products.
- Implement statutory mandates and achieve department goals for preference programs through procurement activities.
- Ensure timely and economic provision of high-quality, safe food products to domestic and international humanitarian food assistance programs.

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# Commodity Operations Statistics FY 2005

Domestic Program Purchases	
Milk	30.8 Million Lbs.
Peanut Products	31.4 Million Lbs.
Flour Products	68.3 Million Lbs.
Bakery Mix	4.7 Million Lbs
Pasta Products	41.5 Million Lbs.
Vegetable Oil Products	40.3 Million Lbs.
Cereal Products	24.8 Million Lbs.
Corn Products	6.0 Million Lbs.
Rice Products	37.1 Million Lbs.
Dairy Products	208.2 Million Lbs.
Crackers	.05 Million Lbs.
Sunflower Seed Butter	.04 Million Lbs.

Export Program Purchases	
Bulk Grain	2.42 Million MT
Wheat/Wheat Products	178,950 MT
Corn Products	333,980 MT
Sorghum/Sorghum Products	39,070 MT
Soybeans/Soy Products	1,340 MT
Flour	90,130 MT
Oil Products	285,771 MT
Rice Products	110,237 MT
Peas, Beans, Lentils	251,610 MT
Bags, Woven Polypropylene	41.9 Million
Twine	1,554 Lbs

Domestic Freight Payments	
All Commodities	\$18.5 Million
End-Use Certificate Program Canadian Wheat	
Imported	985,000 MT
Consumed	967,000 MT

Inventories	
Wheat	43.75 Million Bu.
Corn	.86 Million Bu.
Other Grains	.28 Million Bu.
Nonfat Dry Milk	89.3 Million Lbs.
Cotton	2,229 Bales
Sugar	72.5 Million Lbs

Sales	
Wheat	20.9 Million Bu.
Corn	968.6 Million Bu.
Barley	63.6 Thou. Bu.
Soybeans	57.4 Thou. Bu.
Sorghum	68.4 Thou. CWT
Oats	105.4 Thou. Bu.
Minor Oil Seeds	1.5 Thou. CWT.
Pulses	4.0 Thou. CWT
Rice	356.6 Thou. CWT
Peanuts	49,860.7 Short Tons
Cotton	17,616 Bales
Nonfat Dry Milk	34.9 Million Lbs.
Cheese	.06 Million Lbs.
Tobacco	114.0 Million Lbs.

Special Programs Cash/Certificate Subsidy Payments	
DEIP	\$ 1.2 Million
Bioenergy	\$ 100.0 Million
Upland Cotton User Marketing Certificate	\$ 382.2 Million
Special Competitive Provisions for Extra Long Staple Cotton	\$200.9 Million

U.S. Warehouse Act	
2,941 warehouses under 1,043 licenses 3.7 billion bushels of grain 11.6 million bales of cotton 3.2 million tons of peanuts	

Storage and Handling Payments	
Bulk Commodities	18.9 Million
Processed Commodities	38.0 Million

Shipments – All Commodities		
Rail Cars	Trucks	Multi-Food Shipments
365	5,542	3,600

Warehouse Locations Under CCC Agreements	
Grain and Rice	6,190
Cotton	461
Processed Commodities	550
Sugar	62
Peanuts	156

Storage Capacity under CCC Agreements	
Grain and Rice	7.6 Billion Bu.
Cotton	24.8 Million Bales
Peanuts	3.1 Million Short Tons
Sugar	9.7 Billion Lbs.
Processed-Dry	3.5 Billion Lbs.
Processed-Freezer	12.0 Million Lbs.
Processed-Cooler	8.0 Million Lbs.

